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INSTRUCTION

Guidance/Student Personnel Services

Guidance personnel shall be assigned to the schools in such a counselor-student ratio as will satisfy State Board of Education regulations for accreditation.

Guidance personnel shall follow State and federal regulations relating to the use of texts and other materials for appraising or counseling student to ensure that such materials do not discriminate on the basis of gender, race, ethnic background, and/or disabling condition.

Legal Reference: Through June 30, 1999

<u>Code of Va., §22.1-253.13:2.</u> <u>Standard 2.</u> <u>Support services.--"...D.</u> Each local school board shall also provide a program of pupil personnel services for grades K through 12 which shall be designed to aid students in their educational, social and career development." (1997)

Regulations of the Virginia Board of Education, "Standards for Accrediting Public Schools in Virginia." 8VAC 20-131-240.

Standard A-4 and A-5. (Adopted September 4, 1997, effective October 31, 1997)

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